## Scam of the Week™

## December 25, 2015, Austin

World Tour continues under a full moon with Merry Christmas, Joyeux Noel, Feliz Navidad, god Jul, Maligayang Pasko, Fröhliche Weihnachten, Nollaig Shona, bonum diem natalis Jesu, mutlu Noeller, Rojdestvo bilan, Jabulela Ukhisimusi.

Joke of the Week<sup>TM</sup> Big Bogus Dictionary adds flatulence (N.) . . . visit

The Reverend  $Tony^{TM}$  for Joke of the Week<sup>TM</sup>.

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**Fútbol** Arsenal 2-1 Manchester City behind Walcott and Giroud to maintain second to Leicester. Boxing Day Arsenal visit Southampton which academy produced Walcott, Oxlade-Chamberlain, and Gareth Bale who Wenger passed on. Saturday from 1:45p cst only at St. Mary's and on NBC network.

**Football Clemson** (+4) v **Oklahoma** in the Orange Bowl with the winner to play for National Championship is perfect other than the games being played on New Year's Eve which means 1/2 of the fans cannot celebrate New Year's Eve because their team lost.

Password tonight is "Sophisticato"

Peace, love, and margaritas at <u>Matt's Famous El Rancho</u>, I remain The Reverend Tony™.

Polyticks Six dead says enough.

**Light, sweet crude** settled up big time 9.0% at \$38.10, as did natural gas up really big time 15.6% at \$2.029. The **€uro** is up 1.5% at \$1.0966.

6 dead this week in The War Without End, Amen™ = 28 for the year.

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